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[Despatch Abstract.]

Agriculture — Grant — Supply of a tractor to Maximum Ex-Servicemen — Land Colonisation Co-operative Society on hire — Hire charges of Rs. 226-40 due to Agricultural Department from the Society — written off — Sanctioned

AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

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To
The Secretary to Government,
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Fort St. George, Madras.

ROC Y. 3. 572/48, dated 7-12-1949.

Sub: Land Colonisation Scheme--Moranam Ex-sergice Land Colonisation Co-operative Society--Hire Charges of Tractor ploughing--write off-sanction requested.

Ref: G.O. No. 411 (Public) dated 10-2-45.

In the order cited, Government while according general approval for the formation of Land Colonisation Co-operative Societies for demobilised soldiers ordered that all expenditure on the demonstration farm including the pay of the Agricultural Demonstration maistry should be met by the society.

2. The Board of Directors of Sanlari and Enadarvadi Land ColonisationCo-operative Society decided to plough 100 acres of de-forested land in Moranam village of Cheyyar Taluk and the society wanted the hire charges to be collected after the ploughingoperations were completed as against the usual practice of collecting the same in advance. As the Society was in its infancy and had not acquired share capital and as the District Collector and Director of Resettlement were interested in the scheme, the District Agricultural Officer, Vellore was permitted to collect the hire charges after ploughing as a special concession to the Society.

3. The District Agricultural Officer, Vellore subsequently reported that a net amount of Rs. 226-4-0 towards tractor ploughing of 30 acres of land was due to this Department from the Society and that the matter was under correspondence with the District Collector and the Deputy Registrar of Co-operative Societies. In the meantime the Board of Directors decided to wind up the Society and the Society and the society was liquidated on 18th March 1949. The Deputy Registrar of Co-operative Societies states that the hire charges due to this Department could not be collected as the members are not residing in the colony and that their present whereabouts are not known. Further the lands allotted to them have since been resumed by the Government.

4. In the circumstances explained above, I request that Government may be pleased to write off the hire charges [illegible] (Rupees two hundred and twenty six and annas four only) due to this Department from the Society.

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for DIRECTOR OF AGRICULTURE

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ABSTRACT.

Colonisation/Agriculture--Grants--Supply of a tractor to Moranum Ex-Servicemen Land ~~Colonisation~~ Co-operative Society on hire--Hire Charges of Rs. 226-4-0 due to Agricultural Department from the Society--Written off--Sanctioned.

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